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Health Emergency Local Planning Partners "Focus on Community Engagement and Preparedness"

San Bernardino: San Bernardino County Department of Public Health will be hosting its quarterly Health Emergency Local Planning Partners (HELPP) meeting in partnership with the Inland Counties Emergency Medical Agency (ICEMA) on Thursday June 13, 2013. The purpose of HELPP is to create and strengthen partnerships for public health and medical emergency planning and response within San Bernardino County.

HELPP meeting objectives are achieved through collaboration, planning, and preparing a response to public health emergencies by developing and sharing emergency response plans with stakeholders. The Preparedness and Response Program continues to bring local community agencies, hospitals, government, and non-profit agencies together to plan for a response to emergencies.

The focus of the June 13th HELPP meeting will be on Community Engagement and Preparedness as an essential component of recovery for the County during and after a disaster. Planning together with the community will assist in a better response to Public Health Emergencies.

For more information on the Health Emergency Local Planning Partners (HELPP) meeting please call the San Bernardino County Department of Public Health, Preparedness and Response Program at (909) 252-4406 or visit our webpage at http://www.sbcounty.gov/prp

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